

**Elkhart County 4-H
Rabbit Club Project
Record Book
2025**



Member Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Years in 4-H _____ **Years in Rabbit Club** _____

Current Year _____ **Grade** _____ **Age** _____

Animal Care and Management

Your project requires care and management. List the things necessary to take care of your project animal(s).

Include the following:

- Feeding and Watering practices
- Grooming
- Health Practices and Medicines
- General Management (cage cleaning)

Daily-Things done once or twice a day
Weekly-Things done once or twice a week
Monthly-Things done once a month
Yearly-Things done one time or occasionally throughout the year

Rabbit Inventory Record

Use one chart for all project rabbits and their offspring. Add pages if necessary

Tattoo #	Description (Color, Breed)	Sex	Ownership Info	Purchase Price	Value *
			Raised Purchased		
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			Raised Purchased		

*price you would ask if selling the rabbit

Equipment and Supply Inventory

At the beginning of the 4-H year take an inventory of the equipment and supplies on hand.

Add new equipment or supplies to the list as you acquire or purchase them.

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Feed Records and Expenses

Keeping good feed records is important. Good records show your expenses for feed, and what kind of feed you use for your project. A good practice is to enter your feed expenses when you buy it. At the end of each month, total each kind of feed used and its cost and record the information below. Home-raised feeds should be valued at market price, what it could be sold for.

Type and Cost of Feed Used

Date of Purchase	Amount Purchased	Type of Feed (Pellets, Hay, Etc.)	Cost or Value
		TOTAL	

Miscellaneous Expenses or Fees

List any expenses that do not fit into one of the previous categories.

(Examples: vet cost, breeding fees, show coat, registration fees, Etc.)

Date	Description	Cost
	TOTAL	

Miscellaneous Income

List any income from the sale/premiums of your animal project

Date	Description	Income Money
	TOTAL	

Project Financial Summary

One goal of the rabbit project is to teach budgeting, marketing, and money management skills. The following chart will help you evaluate the financial status of your project.

<u><i>Income / Investments</i></u>	
Miscellaneous Income	\$
Prior Year(s) Inventory Value	\$
Total Income	\$
<u><i>Expenses</i></u>	
Purchased Animals	\$
Equipment / Supplies	\$
Feed Expenses	\$
Misc. Expenses	\$
Total Expenses	\$

1. Was the cost of your project what you expected? Why?
2. What, if anything, will you do differently to improve your project for next year?
3. List at least 3 things you have learned this year.

Rabbit Breeding & Litter Record

Tattoo # of Doe	Tattoo # of Buck	Breeding Date	Date Born	Total # in Litter	Surviving # Kits	# of Kits Lost

Rabbit Show Record

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